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COUNTRY ~~East~~ Germany

REPORT

TOPIC ~~Brandenburg-Briest~~ Airfield

EVALUATION

PLACE OBTAINED

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DATE OF CONTENT

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DATE PREPARED 13 May 1955

REFERENCES

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REMARKS

This is UNEVALUATED Information

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1. In early April 1955, Unit Krazavitski with the pertaining aircraft was transferred from Brandenburg-Briest to an unidentified airfield. Briest airfield has allegedly been occupied by newly arrived jet aircraft since early April. <sup>1</sup>
2. The previous information that Colonel Zakharov (fmu) was no longer chief of staff and transferred was confirmed. Zakharov's successor was not known but it was assumed that officer Alekzenko (fmu) or officer Kustov (fmu) whose rank was not known would become chief of staff. <sup>2</sup>

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1. Comment. Unit Krazavitski, ~~regiment~~ transferred to Doeberitz ~~GA Regt in Alt Loennewitz~~ ~~transferred~~ ~~and attack~~ ~~ments of the~~
2. Comment. Colonel Zakharov was either the commanding officer of the technical division (ATD) or the chief of the GA Div in Brandenburg. The names of the other officers are reported for the first time.

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